

Mr. Hedley was invariably courteous and kindly, and his charming personality and accomplishment as an expositor and conversationalist had endeared him to a large number of friends. He was always helpful to younger workers, many of whom acknowledge their indebtedness to his encouraging assistance and advice. He was exceedingly energetic and took great pleasure in long treks on foot through the bush and by the seashore and those who were privileged to accompany him on his walks derived great enjoyment from his entertaining and informative conversation.

Only recently Mr. Hedley returned to Sydney from Queensland and was happily making preparations for a trip to Japan as one of the Australian representatives to the Pan-Pacific Science Congress. He contracted a cold and more serious symptoms followed, but no one anticipated that his death would occur so soon.

By the staff of the Australian Museum, many of whom had been associated with Mr. Hedley for a long period and had experienced many kindnesses at his hands, his death is keenly felt, and the utmost sympathy is extended to Mrs. Hedley and his adopted daughter.—*The Australian Museum Magazine*, Oct.-Dec., 1926.

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NOTES AND NEWS

PROFESSOR ADDISON EMERY VERRILL, for forty-two years professor of zoology at Yale University, until he was made emeritus professor in 1907, has died, aged eighty-seven years. He was spending the winter at Santa Barbara, California. Professor Verrill is well known to conchologists for his extensive and valuable publications on the mollusks of our northern Atlantic waters and Bermuda, but he was equally an authority on several other Classes of invertebrates such as the corals, crustacea, echinoderms. More extended notice will follow.

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